

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 19, 1909.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5.51 and sets at 6.20. High water at 3.05 a. m. and 3.31 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, slight temperature changes; moderate westerly winds.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

The Fraternal Order of Eagles throughout the United States observed yesterday as memorial day.

Alva Aerie, No. 871, of this city, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon held its service in its hall over the Alexandria National Bank. There was a large attendance, and many members of the order from Washington were present.

Among the visitors were Past Worthy President Bernard Goss, of Fairbanks, Alaska; Brother Manager, vice president, of Denver, Colo.; John B. Riddle, past worthy president, Camden, N. J.; together with a large delegation of members of Washington Aerie, No. 125, headed by Worthy President Col. R. L. Montague.

The principal memorial address was made by Bernard Goss, of Fairbanks, Alaska, Aerie No. 1037.

The hall was tastefully decorated with palms, cut flowers, and electric lights.

The programme carried out was as follows: Funeral march, orchestra; hymn, "Republicans," Brother Jasper, Washington Aerie, No. 125; opening remarks, Worthy President John A. Rice, prayer, Worthy Chaplain S. J. Baraboo; "Rock of Ages," orchestra; remarks, Past Worthy President E. J. Fleming; oration, Brother B. Goss, Fairbanks, Alaska Aerie No. 1037; roll call of departed brothers, Worthy Secretary J. H. West; solo, "Vacant Chair," Brother Jasper, Washington Aerie No. 125; eulogy, "Departed Brothers," Col. Montague, worshipful president Washington Aerie, No. 125; musical selection, orchestra; closing exercises, worthy president and worthy vice president; benediction, worthy chaplain; "Nearer, My God to Thee," members and orchestra.

Following the exercises the visitors were entertained at a buffet luncheon by the members of the local aerie.

The electrical effects and decorations were the work of Past Conductor Jacob Johnson, of Washington Aerie, No. 125, and Worthy Vice President Walter E. Jacobson, of Alva Aerie.

Alva Aerie was instituted October 16, 1904. The following is a list of its present officers: John A. Rice, worthy president; Walter E. Jacobson, worthy vice president; S. J. Baraboo, worthy chaplain; Joseph W. West, worthy secretary; Arthur A. Paul, worthy treasurer; George A. Norris, worthy conductor; Dr. S. B. Moore, worthy physician; Edward J. Fleming, past worthy president; Thomas D. Downey, worthy outside guard; Harvey W. Summers, worthy inside guard; Thomas Chancery, Peter T. Harrington, and Charles Zimmerman, worthy trustees.

UP-TO-DATE SHOW.

If the vaudeville show beginning tonight at the Opera House can be taken as a criterion of what will continue during the week, it can be safely said that this week's entertainment will surpass all others. In line with the promise made by Manager Van Matre the best talent on the stage today is billed for this week. It goes without saying that the cheapest and best entertainment ever enjoyed can be had at the amusement houses here, the Opera House never failing to carry out its part of the programme. One feature tonight alone will be the special engagement of Mr. John T. McCaslin, vaudeville favorite comedian and producer, supported by an all-star cast of performers, who will present a one act farce comedy entitled "Shylock Finnigan or 50 percent."

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

The spring examination of teachers for the year 1909 shall be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 22nd, 23rd, 24th; the summer examination shall be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 29th, 30th and 31st. Teachers may take either of these examinations, but all who do not expect to attend a summer institute should take the spring examination, as the result may be made known too late for many teachers to contract for schools and may thus cause them inconvenience.

FINE ARRAY OF TALENT.

Another fine array of talent is promised at the Surprise Theatre this week, especially those who appear here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Jetter and Rogers, two of the best black face comedians ever seen in this city will be here and dance on roller skates. O. Green and B. Jolly, clever comedy sketch artists, will delight the people for the first three nights. George J. Stanley (Old Black Joe), never fails to please the most particular. You can be easily convinced by witnessing the first performance tonight.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Matilda Polindexter, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

John Mjors, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Ophelia Johnson, colored, charged with destroying clothes of Robert Smith, colored, was fined \$5.

ASLEEP IN THE STREET.

About four o'clock yesterday morning, while rain was falling, two railroad men appeared at the station house and reported that a man was lying on the pavement on Fayette street, between King and Prince. They stated that a coal was over the man's head, and they did not know whether he was asleep or dead. Officer Roberts proceeded to Fayette street and went to the spot described, by the two men but failed to find the object of his search.

Seminole Tribe, Improved Order of Red Men, will give their first annual banquet next Friday evening, when addresses will be made by several prominent members of that order.

If you want a pair of \$5, \$6 and \$7 shoes and Oxfords—real samples—for \$2.50 go to John A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street, this week.

PURE FOOD SHOW.

There are many attractive features at the Pure Food and Industrial Exhibition at Armory Hall of which no mention has been made. One cannot spend time to better advantage than in visiting this show. It is instructive in many senses of the word. The Yates coffee and Ferguson sausage, both local and of daily reaching and manufacture, should and will be more generally known and appreciated in the future. The Fleischman Yeast Co., Holzebelein with his variety of cakes, and The Genesee Jello, all in a line, are quite an attraction. Neat, attractive booths, handsome lady attendants and all kinds of good things to eat and in plenty, the many makes of cake and deserts make you hungry and the more one eats, the more pleased are these firms. They want you to eat their products. Then the "Velvet Kind." Oh that ice cream to top off with, and the genial Phillips to entertain you while you eat. While partaking of this collation you are refreshed with the latest musical compositions on the Broadway piano in the adjoining centre booth of the F. G. Smith Co. This booth is the same one that was used at the Jamestown Exposition and is a handsome work. In addition to the attractiveness of the display Mr. W. C. Dacey adds his geniality to the occasion and uses all the powers at his command in entertaining the immense crowd which fills the hall every night. Those who fail to visit the Pure Food Show will miss something that will not be their pleasure to see in this city for many years to come—if ever. It is instructive, beneficial and entertaining. This is military night and the Alexandria Light Infantry will be present in a body under command of Capt. F. L. Slaymaker. The Elks have been invited to be present in a body, and it is thought the Army will be crowded. Two hundred packages of spices will be distributed tonight with the compliments of the Alexandria Coffee Company.

UNFORTUNATE FISHERMEN.

Four residents of this city, one of whom recently rigged a net, concluded to spend part of yesterday in gilling. The party repaired to the opposite shore of the river and after having laid out the net proceeded to the shore for the purpose of procuring a can with which to make a buoy for the net while visions of planked shad and "accompaniments" were dancing through their minds. When they returned to the channel no trace of the net could be found, although the amateurs searched diligently for it. About this time Old Boreas concluded he would add to the discomfort of the party, and the heavy blast which came from the northwest caused the attention of the fishermen to be concentrated more upon their own comfort than the whereabouts of the net. The high wind soon landed the boat and its occupants upon the beach in front of Mr. John Swift's place. The party found it inadvisable to attempt to return to this city in their boat, and later Mr. Joseph Dreifus brought the four men home in his power launch. Mr. Swift found the net this morning. There was no evidence that there had been even a "strike."

CAMERON CLUB.

The last of the very successful series of lectures for this winter, under the auspices of the Cameron Club, will be given tomorrow, Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock at Christ Church Parish Hall. The subjects have been on the wonders of our own country, giving all who saw them a glimpse of the extensive work by the government in preserving the treasures of our ancient civilization, as well as the possibilities of developing our natural resources. The illustrated lecture to be given tomorrow is one so highly appreciated by the government that Dr. Barton W. Evermann has been repeatedly called upon by his department to give this lecture throughout the country. He has just returned from Boston where, before a deeply interested audience, he showed by means of his stereoscopic views a very realistic trip "By pack train to the tip-top of the United States in search of the Golden Front." Dr. Evermann is a specialist in this line, being assistant to the bureau of fisheries, and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear him.

STONING CARS.

Crews of railway trains passing through the Wilkes street tunnel complain of the acts of mischievous boys who stone cars after dark. On Friday night a rock which had been thrown at an engine at the west end of the tunnel struck Engineer Heaton Lunsford on one of his feet. Saturday night about nine o'clock a dozen or more boys threw a shower of stones upon a locomotive as it entered the tunnel at the same point. The crews of the trains are kept on the lookout after they leave Royal street to avoid being struck by missiles. The law provides a heavy penalty for stoning railway trains, and the police will endeavor to apprehend the offenders. Youths who engage in this pastime would do well to take heed.

THE FISHING SEASON.

The gillnetters report that shad are gradually working their way up the river. Numbers are being caught in the vicinity of the White House and three were taken opposite this city yesterday. Prices are still firm. The best varieties of buck shad were selling in market this morning at 60 cents. Fishtown is still quiet, no fish having arrived there this season.

ALEXANDRIA AMUSEMENT CO.

Again tonight as on all opening nights the Alexandria Amusement Company is prepared to furnish their first class pictures to its patrons. The programme for tonight is particularly good, all of the best pictures which could be selected. One in particular which you should see is "I Did It Mamma." This is good.

The Red Cross Shoes for tender feet. The ladies who wear the Red Cross shoes always wear a smile. Sold only by J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

EVANS' ALE On Draught. **Jackson Creek Oysters** On the Half Shell, Stewed and Fried ELKTON To-at the ELKTON Night.**Coke Domestic Coke** All kinds of Coal, Wood and Coke. Best quality and prompt delivery. Write for prices. Phone 265. DREW ATTORNSON, 107 So. Royal street.

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and **DRESS MADRAS, Special**
a Yard **15c**

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31 and 32 inches wide, absolutely unshrinkable.

Several different weaves, and all are striped patterns on white grounds, in green, light blue, pink, red, brown, lavender, gray, and black.

Remember, they are woven patterns, and not printed. Every thread is woven; this warrants them as being absolutely fast.

These are the real English goods, and the special price is 15c a yard.

Quality Established Our Reputation.

First of the Season.

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DELICIOUS DEVILED CRABS
LITTLE NECK CLAMS
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Both Telephones

A Golden Opportunity

Is yours in the sale of fine Jewelry here at reasonable prices, to suit all pocketbooks.

Dainty designs in Brooches, Pins and Rings, the latest novelties in Belt Pins, Necklaces and Lockets, Fobs, Cuff Buttons and Hat Pins are shown.

Now is a good time to select from these goods.

Don't miss this opportunity, you will be sure to find something you want.

SAUNDERS and SON

629 King Street.

PERSONAL.

Judge Barley left today for Bath county, where he will be detained about ten days by business engagements.

G. W. Swanson has designated Judge L. C. Barley, of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, to hold a part of the April term of the Circuit Court of Prince William county for Judge J. B. T. Thornton.

Mr. Thomas C. Hoy, of this city, and Miss Mary Eleanor Nevitt, of Washington, will be married shortly after Easter at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Blanche Stansbury, of Alexandria, is the guest of her friend, Miss Samie Yates, in Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Fannie Churchwood, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Smoot.

Mrs. W. H. F. Lee, of "Ravensworth," Fairfax county, and Miss Katharine Stuart, of this city, have returned from a visit to Florida and New Orleans.

Miss Helen Holohan, who has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Clarence C. Leadbeater, has returned to her home in Lancaster, Pa.

Mr. Joseph W. Lease is visiting friends in Winchester.

Mrs. Frank McCormick, of Berryville is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. William Ramsey.

Miss Margaret Stephenson, of Syracuse, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. Edward S. Leadbeater.

DEMAND NEW CONTRACT.

The Washington headquarters of the various unions employed in the Portner Brewery have demanded new contracts to replace the old ones expiring with this month. The new contracts call for increased wages, shorter hours and more holidays on pay. The Portner people state that conditions do not warrant these demands, and say that renewal of old contracts is the best they can do. It seems that this is not satisfactory to the employees, and as the employers have notified them that present conditions will prevail on and after April 1st, it is feared that serious trouble may develop at that time. None of the unions employed in the brewery are affiliated with the Alexandria unions, they having withdrawn from that connection several years ago.

BIG NIGHT.

The Elks Picture Company commencing tonight, will present one of the best entertainments that can be offered the public, high class in every way except in price and that remains the same. The special pictures for tonight are: "The Unexpected Santa Claus," which is very amusing, and "A Prairie Town," a romantic and a western picture which will please you. The special added attraction is Tom Howard, minstrel man, and singing, banjo and talking comedian. Mr. Howard is a great entertainer and you should hear him play the banjo.

CAT IN A STRANGE CITY.

When a box car loaded with lumber was opened at the Fayette street depot this morning a large Maltese cat sprang out and took refuge under the platform of the freight house, from which place it refused to emerge. It was the largest feline ever seen in this city. The lumber was consigned to Mr. W. H. Peck. It is not known how long the cat had been a prisoner, or where it boarded the car.

DEATH OF MR. BUTLER.

Mr. William Butler, son of the late E. J. Butler, died at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, at the home of his mother, 420 south Payne street, after a lingering illness. Mr. Butler was about twenty-eight years old, and unmarried. He had been a sufferer from bronchial trouble. For some time he had been connected with a life insurance company in this city.

Keep your feet dry. "Try a pair of the celebrated" Walk Over Shoes. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

JOINT MEETING.

The general committee of the "Old Home Coming Week," consisting of the committees appointed by the mayor and the Washington Monument Association and the various secret and industrial organizations, fire companies, etc., have been called together to meet at 2 p. m. on Wednesday, March 31, in the Surprise Theatre.

The officers of the association earnestly request there be a full attendance as it is of the utmost importance that all work should be promptly laid out and rapidly pushed forward.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A fishing ark which had been blown across the river by the high wind of last Thursday has since sunk.

Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, B. P. O. Elks, will hold a meeting tonight at which officers will be elected.

Pay your gas bill by Thursday, April 1, and save the discount. After that date you will have to pay at gross rate.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Suburban Homes Company, Inc., was held in this city today for the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year.

In the opening game of baseball of the season Technical High School, of Washington, defeated the Episcopal High School in a well played game Saturday evening, by a score of 4 to 2.

A number of the ladies whose names appeared on Saturday in a list of those entitled to participate as candidates for "Queen of the Carnival" say they have nothing to do with the affair and that the names were used without authority.

Rev. Carl Doney, D. D., president of the West Virginia Wesleyan University, preached yesterday morning at Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church. Bishop Joseph F. Barry, D. D., L. L. D., conducted the services at night. The pulpits of the other churches were filled according to Saturday's announcements.

Rain fell again Saturday night, and cloudy and threatening weather prevailed until noon yesterday when a northwest wind and clearing conditions followed. About four o'clock in the afternoon the wind for a short time blew a gale, but no serious damage resulted. The weather today has been fair and cool.

Capt. John Johnson, with a load of excellent Jackson Creek oysters, is lying at King street wharf.

Have you made "your" journey to the rainbow? Of course you know what that is. Didn't your old black mammy use to tell you of that bag of yellow gold lying in the hollow of a silver lined cloud? Of course she did. Well, we have all had our disappointments. You know. Little bluffs cause that blow up in a night. It is all meant to teach us experience and its just such experience that has taught "you" to come to the Anti-Strand for those irresistibly delicious Anti-Sauces and H. M. Including all those other delectable food products we have become famous for. Sylvan Blondheim, The Anti-Strand, City Market.

FRESH VIOLETS, every day at the MRS. F. J. KRAMER & SONS, 114 north Fayette street. Oysters in all styles. Fried Clams every day 20c, per dozen. Clam soup, Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

Something for nothing—John A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street, are selling \$5, \$6 and \$7 AMPLE SHOES for \$2.50 this week.

BEST MILD, SUGAR CURED HAMS 12 1-2c lb.

Old Virginia Breakfast Roe (can)... 10c
3 cans Pink Alaska Salmon... 25c
4 cans String Beans... 25c
1 Large Case Best Tomatoes... 25c
3 cans Early June Peas... 25c
3 lbs Best California Evaporated Peaches... 25c
3 lbs Large California Prunes... 25c

W. P. WOOLLS & SON, Royal and Wolfe Streets, Queen and Henry Streets.

LOST—On March 25th, after leaving the Mechanics train at Union station, at noon, a lady's black POCK-TRUNK containing five dollars in money, a key, and card with address. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to this office. mar 26 31*

QUALITY Food Stuffs.

Every article in this list is of standard good quality and the prices are the lowest possible. We want your trade, and if service, price and quality counts with you we will have it.

COFFEE
Crisp and Fresh.
SENATE BLEND, lb. 25c
CONGRESSIONAL BLEND, lb. 35c
Other grades, pound 15c
20c, 30c and 40c
"Tea Store Tickets" on all grades above 15 cents a pound.

Pure Lard, lb. - 13c
FOREIGN PRODUCTS—OUR OWN IMPORTATION.
First Chile Mushrooms, can... 25c
Peas, Moyens, can... 15c
Peas, or extra fine, can... 15c
Olive oil, pure, bottle... 25c, 35c, 50c
Maraschino Cherries, bottle... 25c, 40c, 65c
Capers, bottle... 15c
Campbell's Soup, 3 cans... 25c
Royal Baking Powder, can... 15c
Blue Label Ketchup, bottle... 12c, 15c
Curry Powder, bottle... 10c
Celery Salt, bottle... 10c
Extract of Beef, jar... 10c, 15c
Kitchen Bouquet, bottle... 10c, 15c
Sauter's Ketchup, bottle... 15c, 20c
Queen Olives, bottle... 15c and 25c
Sauter's Olives, bottle... 10c and 15c
Grape Juice, bottle... 10c and 15c
Poultry Seasoning, can... 10c
A & P. Root Beer, bottle... 15c
Hires' Root Beer, bottle... 15c
Baker's Cocoa, 4 lb. tin... 20c
A & P. Cocoa, 4 lb. tin... 20c
Puffed Rice, package... 10c
Wheat Berries, package... 10c
Granulated Sugar, pound... 5c
Macerated, 5-pound kits... 50c
Lima Beans, lb... 10c
Scotch peas, lb... 10c

Eight Quality Specials This Week.
A & P. Evaporated Milk, 20c can, 3 for... 35c
Van Camp's Evaporated Milk, 20c can, 3 for... 25c
Large box Pailor Matches, 2 for... 7c
Large box Double Tip Matches, 2 for... 7c
Evap. peaches, lb... 8c
Evap. apricots, lb... 11c
Seeded Raisins, package... 8c
Fancy Oregon Prunes, pound... 8c

EGGS, HAM, CHEESE.
Fresh Eggs, doz... 20c
Premium Hams, lb... 15c
Auth's Hams, lb... 15c
Full Cream Cheese, lb... 17c
Auth's Bacon, lb... 16c
Buckshire Bacon, lb. box... 20c

Best Elgin Butter, lb. 30c
VEGETABLES.
Victory brand Tomatoes, strained, can... 5c
Ries, lb... 5c, 7c
Tomatoes, No. 2, can... 10c
Lima brand tomatoes, can... 10c
Sauter's brand Tomatoes, can... 10c
A & P. brand Tomatoes, can... 12c
Lima brand Corn, can... 10c
Sauter's brand Corn, can... 10c
A & P. brand Corn, can... 10c
White House Floor Oil, quart can... 25c
White House Floor Oil, gal. can... 75c
Atlantic toilet paper, per roll... 5c
Cut loaf sugar, lb... 10c
Smoked sardines, can... 10c
Marshall's kippered herring, can... 10c
A & P. codfish, bricks... 10c
Norway mackerel, each... 7c
Kits of Mackerel, 5 lbs... 50c
C. & B. Pickles, a bottle... 25c, 30c
Durkee's salad dressing, bottle, 10c, 25c, 30c

FLOUR.
14 lb bags... 13c
12 lb bags... 12c
10 lb bags... 10c
8 lb bags... 8c
5 lb bags... 5c
Full barrel... 50c

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I wish to inform my many friends that I have removed my Cigar and Tobacco business from 529 King street to 602 King street (next to Hoy's store) and will be glad to see them at my new place of business. New fixtures and entirely new stock.
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AMUSEMENTS.
5c ELITE 5c
PICTURE COMPANY.
Big Show Tonight. New Pictures.
The Unexpected
Santa Claus.
A Prairie Town Romance.
A western story.
TOM HOWELL,
MINSTREL MAN.
Singing, Banjo, Talking. A high-class artist.
Show starts 7.30
CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS.
MOST EVERYTHING.

AMUSEMENTS.
SURPRISE THEATER.
Another fine array of talent THIS WEEK.
MONDAY, TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY.
Jetter & Rogers
Blackface Comedians who dance on roller skates.
C. Green & B. Jolly
Clever Comedy Sketch Artists.
Wheelock
COMEDY CYCLIST.
DON'T MISS IT.
Adults - 10c—Children under 12 - 5c
Coming Thursday, Friday and Saturday.
The Vagges, Phillips & Cordou, Le Roy & Le Roy.
Show Starts 7:15.
Special matinee every Saturday from 2 to 5.
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John T. McCaslin
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Ed Roscella
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Sweet singing soprano, in her latest song "I'm a little girl."
5,000 feet of moving pictures. All headlines.
First performance starts 7:50 p. m.

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Help Yourself.
SILENT PICTURES.
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